

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

KEVIN COOPER,
Petitioner

v.

NANCY GIROUX, et al.,
Respondents

CIVIL ACTION

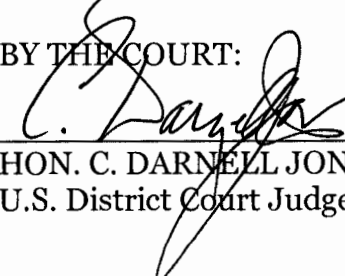
NO. 14-5858

ORDER

AND NOW this 9th day of May, 2016, upon consideration of
Petitioner Kevin Cooper's petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. No. 1), the
Commonwealth's response in opposition (Doc. No. 10), and the Report and
Recommendation of the Magistrate Judge Richard A. Lloret, it is ORDERED:

1. The Report and Recommendation of Magistrate Judge Richard A. Lloret is APPROVED and ADOPTED;
2. Cooper's petition for writ of habeas corpus (Doc. No. 1) is DENIED with prejudice;
3. No certificate of appealability should issue, because "the applicant has [not] made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right[.]" under 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2), since he has not demonstrated that "reasonable jurists" would find my "assessment of the constitutional claims debatable or wrong." *Slack v. McDaniel*, 529 U.S. 473, 484 (2000); and,
4. The Clerk of Court shall mark this file closed for statistical purposes.

BY THE COURT:


HON. C. DARNELL JONES, II
U.S. District Court Judge